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TRINITY TAKES GAME FROM D. H. M. NINE

METHODIST NINE GETS NEXT TO FAMOUS SOUTHPAW PITCHER FOR EIGHT HITS

EXCELLENT PROSPECTS FOR WINNING TEAM NEXT YEAR

Splendid Material Lined Up by Captain Towe. Several Letter Men Have Returned

Trinity's baseball team yesterday afternoon demonstrated that the Methodists will have a nine which will be a strong contender for the state collegiate championship next spring, by defeating the Hosiery Mill team at the East Durham ball park by a score of 6 to 2. The king of amateur southpaws in North Carolina, Lefty Braxton, was on the mound for the sock makers, and twirled an excellent game, fanning 19 batters. The southpaw pitched fine in all but two innings, the first and eleventh. Errors by his teammates in the eleventh were mainly responsible for defeat, though the Methodists hit Braxton for three hits in the fatal frame. The three hits, coupled with three errors and a base on balls, scored Trinity's four runs in the last inning, with the score standing a tie at 2-2.

Trinity's victory was remarkable in that it was the first defeat that the Hosiery Mill team has had this season. It was Braxton's first defeat locally.

Braxton started off wabbly, and Trinity shoved two runs over at the start. McArthur and Hathaway beat out bunts. Towe fanned, and Phelps walked. Cole scored McArthur and Hathaway with a single to right. Phelps was potted while attempting to take third.

Chappell's base on balls, McFarland's single and Roberts' sacrifice fly to center put one over for the Gossamen in their half of the first. They scored one more in the fourth. With two down Kearnes sent a long home run to left, much to the delight of the fans. It was Kearnes' homer that sent the game into extra innings.

Trinity sewed it up in the eleventh when McArthur singled to left, Hathaway received a free ticket, Phelps singled to left, and Cole reached first when McFarland threw the ball to first with no one covering the bag. McArthur and Hathaway scored on this play. Phelps stole third, and a moment later Cole stole second. Phelps attempted to steal home, but was caught by Braxton's throw to Duncan. Carson reached first on another error by McFarland, and took second on Salmon's Texas leaguer between first and right. Cole scoring. Carson scored when Carroll reached first on a wide throw by Ed Roberts.

Braxton's pitching was a feature except in the two fatal innings, while Hathaway, McArthur and Towe thrilled the fans with pretty catches. Towe made the stellar one by backing nearly to center field to catch one from Page's bat. Hathaway made two pretty catches right in succession near the foul line in left field.

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R. O. T. C. OFFERS FINE INDUCEMENTS

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Enrollment in the R. O. T. C. is increasing rapidly. Major M. Crawford, Jr., in charge of the unit, reports 85 new men added to the hundred old students who are here ready for work. This brings the total to date to 185, and the Major hopes to double the number as soon as the matter is clearly before the freshmen.

Arrangements are being made to go to work about the first of October. Requisitions have been sent in for uniforms, and they should be here at an early date. All ordinance material and equipment, including an extensive amount of ammunition, is already in the store room, as is a part of the clothing. Two non-commissioned officers and one commissioned officer from the regular army are expected to arrive in Durham at any time, and will aid in the R. O. T. C. work at Trinity.

It is to the good of all new men to inquire into the R. O. T. C. and get in while it is possible. Enrollment will cease in less than two weeks, after which time it will be impossible to get in. The R. O. T. C. is a department of college conducted by the government. Students are urged to join it, and great inducements are offered to make it attractive. The student

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Reception by Y. M. C. A. for New Men this Evening

The annual Y. M. C. A. reception for the freshmen will be given this evening in the East Duke Building at eight o'clock. A splendid program has been arranged by the president, J. E. Gilbreath, and the event promises to be a great success.

In so far as it was possible, new students have been given dates, and the lottery system used to give every man a girl's name seems to have proven quite efficient. Every student in college is invited and urged to attend this reception, the purpose of which is to give the freshmen a chance to get acquainted, and to make them feel that this is their college. Music will be furnished by a large orchestra, and refreshments are to be served following the program.

The Y. M. C. A. has been active in getting subscriptions this year. A new plan has been adopted by which every man in college is considered a member of the Y. M. C. A., whether he pays the subscription fee or not. The officers of the organization have been canvassing the dormitories soliciting subscriptions. The regular subscription is \$2.50, but anyone who does not feel like giving that much may give less, and it will be highly appreciated. Up to date something over \$300 has been subscribed, and the returns are not all in. The college Y. M. C. A. does a great work among the students and the community, and the officers are greatly pleased at the hearty response they have so far received.

BENEFACTOR'S DAY TO BE OBSERVED OCT. 3

SPLENDID PROGRAM PLANNED TO MAKE ANNUAL HOLIDAY BIG EVENT

MEETING OF TRUSTEES FOR MANY IMPORTANT MATTERS

Alumni Council Planning Reunion of Former Students. Many Interesting Speakers Booked

For a number of years Trinity College has observed October 3 as a holiday known as Benefactor's Day. At some appropriate hour public exercises have been held and a list of the donations of the preceding year announced. Usually an address is made by some invited speaker of note. The object of the exercises is to cultivate the spirit of benevolence, and to give recognition to the generosity of all who have made contributions to the college.

This year, instead of the usual exercises, the College has prepared an elaborate program that will be of unusual interest to all of the friends and graduates of the institution. In connection with the holiday there will be a sort of home coming of the graduates, something in the nature of an "Old Grad's" school. An elaborate program is being prepared, not only for the night preceding the holiday, but for the entire day itself. Scores of interested alumni will be present at the conferences arranged. The Board of Trustees will assemble. Friends and patrons of the college will join with these in working out the general theme announced which is: "The Needs and Opportunities of Trinity College and How to Meet Them."

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GREATEST ENROLLMENT IN HISTORY OF PARK SCHOOL

Dormitory Capacity Greatly Overtaxed. Study Hall May Be Abandoned. Societies Open

Trinity Park School opened Wednesday, September 17, very auspiciously. Up to date two hundred and fifty students have been enrolled, which is the largest enrollment ever known in the history of the institution. Several boys have been turned away because of the lack of accommodations, which are taxed beyond the limit. Due to the over-crowding of the class rooms, the classes have been divided into sections, which enables the instructors to handle the large number of students very conveniently.

The classification of students was complete by the end of the week and all were ready for the regular school work Monday morning. All students have been supplied with books, which is very unusual. Because of the crowded conditions, it is very likely that the study hall will have to be abolished. Boys will be granted the privilege of studying in their rooms provided it is impossible to enlarge the study hall facilities.

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OPENING PROGRAMS IN THE SOCIETIES

Hesperia and Columbia Institute Annual Campaign to Get New Men. First Sessions Short

For the first time during the present scholastic year, both of the literary societies threw open their doors last Saturday night. The programmes were short and very interesting.

The Hesperian society was called to order by the President, T. P. Thomas. After the usual opening ceremonies, Mr. Thomas delivered a short address, speaking in substance as follows: "The ability to speak on one's feet in public is an accomplishment that should be envied and cultivated by every college man. Both societies have features that will interest and appeal to all new men, and it is incumbent on you to join either Columbia or Hesperia. If you do not join Hesperia, then join Columbia. Hesperia, however, wants you, invites you to join her, and will give you a genuine and sincere welcome into her membership."

After delivering his welcome address, Mr. Thomas introduced Professor R. L. Flowers. The speaker's theme was that of grasping the great opportunities in literary society work. "The following are a few of his ringing statements: 'All men need to be able to speak; not only do lawyers and preachers need this acquirement but every so-called educated man of today is

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New and Interesting Books in the Library

It is the custom of the Library to place new books of general interest in the Reading Room for a period of two weeks before shelving them in the stack room. After the books have been in the reading room for one week, they may be taken out for the usual time of two weeks.

Lists of these books are published below and the books will be on a shelf near the delivery desk.

The following titles, belonging to the Avera Bible Collection, are now on the New Book Shelf:

Awes: Psychology of Religious Experience.

Barton: Religions of the World.

Poster: The Finality of the Christian Religion.

Gates: Recreation and the Church.

Gordon: Poets of the Old Testament.

Johnson: Problems of Boyhood.

King: Social Aspects of Education.

McKeever: Training the Boy.

McKeever: Training the Girl.

Mathews: Messianic Hope in the New Testament.

Smith: Guide to the Study of the Christian Religion.

Soares: Social Institutions and Ideals of the Bible.

Starbuck: Psychology of Religion.

Wood: School and College Credit for Outside Bible Study.

Library announcements will be made in the CHRONICLE during the whole year.

IMPORTANT ELECTIONS BY ATHLETIC COUNCIL

MANAGERS AND CAPTAINS SELECTED. PLANS FOR IMMEDIATE WORK

STATE LEAGUE SYSTEM FOR SCHEDULES WAS DISCUSSED

Football Practice Begun, and Track To Be Started at Once. Class Relays Restored

The Athletic Council met Monday and elected managers and captains of the various teams for the year. As was stated in the first edition of the CHRONICLE, prospects for athletics this year were never brighter before in the history of the college. There are reasons for this statement which are plainly evident. Competent men were elected at the meeting of the council to manage the various teams, and there is no doubt but what they will arrange interesting schedules for the year.

The following men were elected to pilot the different teams:

Football—M. B. Loftin, manager; W. S. Carver, assistant.

Basketball—K. M. Brim, manager; L. B. Hathaway, captain.

Baseball—J. E. Gilbreath, manager; W. L. Towe, captain.

Track—M. A. Brasswell, manager; M. B. Loftin, captain.

Tennis—R. L. Thornton, manager.

Football practice started Tuesday afternoon. The college is only going to have inter-class football this year, and next year we will play inter-collegiate football. However, it is especially urged that all men come out for inter-class football, and not only for football but also inter-class baseball, tennis, and track. Men who make these inter-class teams stand a splendid chance in getting on the varsity teams. The schedule for all inter-class games will be published in the near future.

Track work will begin soon. The Inter-class Relay will be reinstated this year. The contest will be held on the large college track sometime in the near future, and a cup will be given to the winning class and also other prizes will be given. These announcements will be made later in the CHRONICLE.

It is expected that there will also be a track meet held here on Thanksgiving morning in which all the colleges of the state will participate. The cross country run will be a main feature of the meet. Definite arrangements for this meet have not been completed yet and later announcements will be made in regard to this.

It has been a custom in the past for the managers of the various athletic teams of the colleges of the state to arrange schedules by correspondence. This system has never given complete satisfaction, because of the fact that neglect on the part of some managers in regard to the lack of promptness in writing and answering letters has often times in the past caused irregularities and misunderstandings in the various schedules. Then, there are other reasons, needless to

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PARAGRAPHS

But Fisher could see his mental picture of little Jeff sleeping while suspended on a hat rack acted in real life, if he could see the way freshmen are crowded in some of the dormitories.

Some lotteries may be illegal, but leave it to the Y. M. C. A. to figure out a brand new scheme of lotteries of girls' names and still get away with it.

Biology VII has only six students in it this year. What is this place coming to, when the students stop hopping 'crips'! The next thing we know Latin students will stop riding ponies.

STAFF NOTICE

Beginning with the next issue of the CHRONICLE a competition will be instituted for places on the CHRONICLE staff. Besides the two associate editors, which are to be chosen from the four members of the reportorial staff of last year, four new reporters are to be chosen. Only the reporters of last year are eligible in the trial for associate editors. But any man who is a member of the sophomore class, at least in so far as that he has successfully passed English I, may enter the race for the reportorial staff.

Sophomore who have literary ability are urged to try. Do not hesitate because you hate to assume that you have ability along that line. If you did well with composition last year, by all means try your hand on the CHRONICLE. Those who wish to enter the competition will meet the editor in his room, 304 Jarvis, at seven o'clock Friday night for conference. Trial assignments will be given out for the next issue, and the competition will continue for two weeks, after which appointments will be made. Appointments will be based on ability, by which is meant not only style, versatility, and capability, but also the effort which is put forth, the interest shown, and the promptness with which assignments are given in.

Camden Blades, ex-'20, was on the campus a few days at the opening of school visiting friends and getting his brother started in college.

OUR ADVERTISERS

To its subscribers, and especially to the students on the campus, the CHRONICLE wishes to call especial attention to and emphasize the advertisements on its pages. The CHRONICLE, like any newspaper, is dependent for its financial support upon its advertisements and subscriptions. We do not solicit advertisements on the grounds that the business men who pay for our space should do so "just to help the boys." It is a business proposition for us, and we intend to make it one for the men who utilize space in our columns. The CHRONICLE is an advertising medium that reaches an element that is very difficult to reach in any other way, in so far as the local merchants are concerned. But we must admit, as stated above, the paper could not be run without the financial aid supplied by the advertisers, and because of this, we must have the co-operation of the students in this matter. Read the ads. You will find in these columns what you are looking for. Patronize our advertisers. The majority of the leading and best dealers and business establishments in the city are to be found among them, and they can supply your wants. They want your business, and we want the ads. As long as we co-operate with each other, we can all be satisfied.

IMPORTANT ELECTIONS BY ATHLETIC COUNCIL

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mention, which cause the abandonment of this old system.

A new plan has been proposed, and a meeting of the representatives of the colleges of the state was called for Saturday. The meeting was called by Elon College and was held at the Marlborough Hotel in Durham. The question of an arrangement of a schedule of games between the institutions of the state was discussed. It was decided that no state association be formed, but that the representatives of the colleges, presidents of athletic associations and managers of various teams, meet in Durham on October the first to arrange the schedule for basketball and baseball so that the maximum number of games be played by North Carolina colleges.

The institutions represented were: Elon, Wake Forest, Davidson, University and Trinity.

The future is exceedingly bright for athletics this year. The Athletic Association has never been in better shape financially; the advent of inter-class football, which will later develop into inter-collegiate football; the return of old baseball, basketball and track heroes, who have in the past won laurels for themselves and at the same time won honors for the college; and the assurance of a competent coach for all athletics causes every one to feel confident that Trinity will cop everything in the way of honors this year. With all of these gratifying conditions which are very prominent now, there is one thing more which will be needed, and that is, the whole and hearty support of each and every student on the campus in backing up the various teams which will battle for state honors this year.

J. E. Caviness, "Bullet Joe," the famous Trinity baseball pitcher, is back on the campus again, and expects to resume his studies here. Joe reports a fine summer, and says he is ready for another big season.

R. O. T. C. OFFERS

FINE INDUCEMENTS

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gives three hours a week of his time to the government, the time being devoted to work of the most interesting, educational and beneficial nature. If a student enlists in the R. O. T. C., he is expected to take the work for the first two years in college, after which time he may or may not elect it for the remaining two years. If at any time he quits college, he is no longer bound, but severs all connection with the R. O. T. C. at the same time. The uniform does not have to be worn all the time, but the student may do so if he chooses to.

After two years service in the R. O. T. C., if the student elects to take the remaining two years, the government offers what is known as "commutation for subsistence," a remuneration amounting to about \$14 a month in addition to the regular issue. He is allowed one hour credit per year of service in the academic department, making a total of four hours towards graduation. Summer camps, of six weeks duration, are offered every summer. It is not compulsory to go to camp, but it is left to the students' choice. The government pays transportation to and from the camp, and a bill is now before Congress to give each student \$100 for his six weeks service, over and above his equipment. Credit is given for the R. O. T. C. work in place of gymnasium, which is required of every man in college. A bill is now pending before Congress which would require men between the ages of 18 and 21 years to take a certain amount of military training, and the R. O. T. C. work will count for that, according to the present bill. Furthermore, students who make good in the work may be given commissions in the reserve corps of the U. S. Army, and in case of any emergency at any time, the commission holds. After the institution has been put in the Distinguished Institution class, the officer in charge of this unit may give commissions in the regular army which will hold without further exanimation. Clothing will be issued free to every man who signs for the drill. The issue will include shoes, leggings, breeches, olive drab shirts, olive drab coat, hat, hat cord, overcoat (these articles are woolen), and other clothing. In addition to this, each member of the unit will receive full equipment—rifle, haversack, ammunition, pack, barrack bag, etc.

Some of the subjects that will be taken up here this year are as follows: Infantry Drill Regulations (close and extended order drill); topography, map-making, tactical walks, principles of map reading by use of co-ordinates, military correspondence, signaling (including wig-wag, semaphore, buzzer, and flashlight), military bridge building, knots and lashes, military engineering, courts martial, military law, target practice, pistol practice, and many other extremely interesting and beneficial subjects. When a sufficient number have signed for the drill to make four companies of sixty men to the company, a radio company may be organized, which would mean that a wireless station would be installed here by the government.

Yates Edgerton, ex-'19, was visiting friends in college the first of the week. Mr. Edgerton is engaged in the automobile business at Charlotte.

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while McArthur pulled down a pretty one from Duncan's bat in the tenth. Chappell made a fine try for Salmon's two bagger in the fifth, but let the ball go between his legs. Kearnes, as usual, played a steady fielding game at second.

Trinity	AB. R. H. Po. A. E.
McArthur, cf.	5 2 3 7 0 0
Hathaway, lf.	4 2 1 4 0 0
Towe, ss.	5 0 0 2 2 0
Phelps, lb.	4 0 1 9 0 0
Cole, rf.	5 1 1 1 0 0
Carson, 2b.	5 1 0 2 2 1
Salmon, c.	5 0 3 8 0 0
Carroll, p.	5 0 1 0 3 1
Starling, 3b.	5 0 0 0 3 0

Totals43 6 10 33 10 2

D. H. M.	AB. R. H. Po. A. E.
Kearnes, 2b.	4 1 2 3 5 0
Chappell, lf.	4 1 1 0 0 0
McFarland, lb. 6	0 2 9 0 2
McFarland, lb. 6	0 2 9 0 2
Roberts, 3b.	4 0 1 2 3 1
Andrews, ss.	3 0 1 0 2 0
Hunter, cf.	6 0 1 0 1 0
Duncan, c.	5 0 1 19 0 0
Page, rf.	5 0 0 0 1 0
Braxton, p.	4 0 0 0 1 0

Totals41 2 9 33 13 3

Batteries: Carroll and Salmon; Braxton and Duncan.

Summary—Two base hit, Salmon; home run, Kearnes; sacrifice hit, Chappell; sacrifice fly, Roberts; stolen bases, Cole, Roberts, Hunter, Phelps; bases on balls, by Braxton 2; by Carroll 6; struck out, by Carroll 6; by Braxton, 19; umpire, Bob White.

This game between Trinity and the Durham Hosiery Mill gave the Trinity students their first chance to see the material for the 1920 team in action. Needless to say, the college is more than satisfied with the showing made by the team; and a great season is predicted for the Trinity baseball team next spring. Hathaway, McArthur, and Cole, who held down the outfield so well last year, are all back on the job. There are four other letter men with the team this year, Caveness, Towe, Carson, and Carroll. Besides these, Salmon, Phelps, Starling, W. Carver, Johnson, Woltz, J. Ashe, Graham, Norton, Jackson, and Adams all showed up well last year; and from these, good material can certainly be found to fill up the gaps in the team. There is an abundance of material in the freshman class which will be brought to light in the inter-class games this fall. When all this new material has been worked into shape and formed into a team with the old team as a nucleus, and with Carroll and Caveness pitching their old brand of ball, the Trinity team of next season looks mighty good. We will very likely get to see Caveness in action next Saturday in the second game with the Durham Hosiery Mill.

BENEFACTOR'S DAY TO
BE OBSERVED OCT. 3

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The first session of this important and interesting series of meetings will be held Thursday night, October 2, at 8:30 in Craven Memorial Hall. The meeting will be presided over by President W. P. Few who will make announcement of the gifts of the year and a report of the state of the College. The assembly will then be addressed by Mr. J. H. Separk, of Gastonia, N. C., a member of the class of '96, a member of the Board of Trustees, and one of the leading business men of the state. Mr.

Separk will deliver an address on "The Graduate and His College."

Immediately following the address of Mr. Separk, Hon. R. O. Everett, a prominent member of the Durham Bar, will speak on "The City of Durham, the J. H. Southgate Memorial, and the College." Mr. Everett is responsible for the suggestion that the city of Durham honor itself in thus honoring one of its greatest men in the erection of a memorial to Mr. Southgate. At this time detailed announcements will be made as to the nature of this memorial and the plans for its erection.

On Friday morning the exercises will be continued at 11 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. Hall with Mr. Separk, President of the Alumni Association, presiding. The general themes of the preceding evening will be continued with the following program:

"What the Graduates Can Do Through Organized Forms," Professor R. L. Flowers, A. M. '00.

"What the Graduates Can Do as Individuals," Rev. J. M. Daniel, '08.

"What the Undergraduates Can Do," by a representative student.

Friday afternoon at 2:30 the Board of Trustees, which has been called at the request of the Alumni Council to consider the immediate construction of the Memorial Gymnasium, will meet in the East Duke Building. The others who are in attendance upon this series of conferences will meet in the Co-operative Dining Association Hall where the conference of the morning will be continued, H. E. Spence, '07, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Alumni, presiding.

It is hoped and expected that these meetings will be largely attended by undergraduates, trustees, former students, friends and patrons of the College, in the city of Durham, throughout the state and elsewhere.

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CO-ED NEWS

The first meeting of the women's Student Government Association was held in Alspaugh Hall last Friday night. On account of the illness of the president, Miss Estelle Warlick, the meeting was in charge of Miss Gladys Price, vice-president. A copy of the constitution and by-laws was given to each member of the association and the rules of conduct were read and explained. Miss Kennedy, Dean of Women, has expressed her approval of the Student Government system and it is now in complete working order.

Miss Cornelia Jones, of Keenerville, was the guest of Miss Ting Fussell in Alspaugh Hall last week. Miss Jones stopped here on her way to North Carolina State College for Women at Greensboro, where she is a senior this year.

Miss Rhoda Holt has been the guest of Miss Emma Davis at Alspaugh Hall.

OPENING PROGRAMS IN THE SOCIETIES

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not really educated until he can address an audience. There is not a country in the world in which there are not Trinity men who were members of literary societies while in college. College men are the winners in all lines, and a society member is the best equipped of any college man. If a man has to put his time on either mathematics or society work and does not have time to prepare both fully, I should advise him to devote his time to the society work. All men in college should grasp the opportunities offered them in literary society work."

In the absence of the President, N. M. West, Vice-President J. W. R. Norton opened the first session of Columbia. He delivered a short welcome address to the prospective members. Mr. Norton spoke as follows: "I am very glad to welcome all men, both new and old, into this hall tonight. Columbia offers great opportunities, and we hope that every man will avail himself of these. We are here to work; we are going to pull together; and we will certainly accomplish things. We make no boasts of the men who have been Columbians before, us and have achieved state and national fame, but what we offer you is an opportunity to develop yourselves and at the same time uphold the standards of Columbia. Edison says that 98 per cent of genius is work, and we want you to do some good society work. Identify yourselves with one of the two societies and begin work and you will be more beneficial to yourself and to all those with whom you associate."

Dr. W. I. Canford was present and delivered the address of the evening. He spoke on the general theme of taking life more seriously and selecting a definite course in life. He stated that too many men came to college with no definite purpose and left college in almost as deplorable a condition. The speaker advised all new men to join a society and see if they could not learn to express themselves, and do it in such a way as to compel other people to listen to them. Dr. Canford said that the very best students in his classes were those who did society work and were able to express themselves; therefore he urged all non-society members to join Columbia and grasp at once its opportunities.

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